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In re application of : Weintraub, et al.
App. No. : 09/519,728
Filed : March 3, 2000
For : MUTANTS OF THYROID
STIMULATING HORMONE
AND METHODS BASED
THEREON
Examiner : Lazar-Wesley, E.
Art Unit : 1646

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Michael L. Fuller, Reg. No. 36,516

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

(X) An extension of time to respond for 2 month(s) is hereby requested.

Time Extension Fee:

(X) two months (\$195 small entity)

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS FILED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total Claims	13	—	50	= -0- x	\$9	= \$-0-
Independent Claims	1	—	6	= -0- x	\$40	= \$-0-
If application has been amended to contain multiple dependent claim(s), then add					\$135	= \$-0-
Time Extension Fee						\$195
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$195

(X) The present application qualifies for small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

(X) Return prepaid postcard.

(X) A check in the amount of \$195 is enclosed.


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- (X) Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.



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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 5, 2001, please consider the following remarks.

REMARKS

Claims 1-66 are pending. In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicants elect, without traverse, to prosecute the claims of Group III (Claims 26-31, 39, 58, 61-64, and 66), drawn to a mutant TSH heterodimer wherein at least the beta or the alpha subunit contains a substitution, compositions and a kit, which are classified in 530, subclass 397.

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A two month extension of time is hereby requested in connection with this Response.
The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees in connection with this paper to Deposit
Account No. 11-1410.


Respectfully submitted,

KNOBBE, MARTENS, OLSON & BEAR, LLP

Dated:

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